

MONTHLY REPORT By Executive Director Don Williams & Staff

May 2003

INTRODUCTION:

The monthly report is a monthly update of the activities of the City of Riverside Community Police Review Commission and gives the staff a chance to pass on information that they feel is important or noteworthy. The information provided in the twelve monthly reports forms the basis for the annual report.

NEW COMMISSIONER AND ALTERNATES CHOOSEN:

On May 20, 2003, the Riverside City Council met and selected a new commissioner to fill the position vacated by Dr. Bill Hendrick. They also selected two alternates. The new commissioner, Brian Pearcy, was sworn in during the May 27th council meeting. Brian is an attorney and is the managing partner of McCarty & Pearcy LLP. He is a graduate of Leadership Riverside and is currently the president of the Riverside County Bar Association. He is also the Chair-elect of the Downtown Chapter of the Greater Riverside Chambers of Commerce. Brian has been a Los Angeles Police Department Reserve Officer for 15 years and served two years prior to that as an active member of LAPD.

The first alternate is Sheri Corral. Sheri has been an officer with the Riverside Community College Police Department for eight years. She has been active in various organizations in the Riverside community such as the Riverside County Foster Parent Association and was the Riverside Unified Parent Steering Chair Person.

The second alternate is Dr. Bonavita Quinto. Dr. Quinto is the Dean of Student Services at the Riverside Community College. She is also a graduate of Leadership Riverside and is the Chairelect of the Greater Riverside Hispanic Chamber of Commerce.

COMMISSIONER OUTREACH:

The Executive Director and / or various commissioners attended two meetings or community events, which included the annual Law Enforcement Appreciation Dinner and RPD's Racial Profiling training session.

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WORKLOAD:

Cases Received

Lodged*	Filed/CPRC	Filed/P.D.	
1	1	8	

* A complaint is considered Lodged when a citizen makes the complaint to the CPRC and is filed when they actually submit the completed complaint form.

Case Dispositions

Cases Reviewed	Inquiries	Administratively Closed **		
7	0	4		

** Complainants are given 30 days to return the paperwork before a closure letter is sent. The closure letter advises the complainants that the case will be re-opened if they submit the completed paperwork before the 6-month deadline.

Allegations

U/F	Disc/SH	IDF	ISS	FA	FR	DI	CC	MC
2	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	10

U/F = Use of Force, Disc/SH = Discrimination/Sexual Harassment, IDF = Improper Discharge of Firearms, ISS = Illegal Search or Seizure, FA = False Arrest, FR = False Reporting, DI = Death Investigation, CC = Criminal Conduct, MC = Misconduct

Findings

Unfounded	Exonerated	Not Sustained	Sustained	Misconduct Noted
8	5	4	0	0

Referrals

Personnel Complaints	Service Complaints		
0	0		

Policy Recommendations

The Commission made <u>0</u> policy recommendation in the month of May '03.

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